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Signature: **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION****Dated March 1, 2004 (Confirmation # 2218)****Request for Extension of 1 month for Response****Request for Telephone Interview**

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Sir:

Section 1, Introduction, Extension Request and Request for Telephone Interview:

In response to the first Office Action, mailed March 1, 2004, currently due on July 1, 2004 pursuant to a one-month Extension of Time requested herewith, Applicant submits the following Response as transmitted herewith by fax for filing.

Please charge the fee for the 1-month extension to undersigned counsel's Deposit Account 04-1699 in the amount of \$110 (Applicant is a Large Entity). In the event this amount is incorrect, please charge the deficiency or refund the excess to that Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this page is attached to facilitate charge transactions. Please reference the Attorney Docket Number 24347-054US to all transactions in order to facilitate tracking.

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In addition Applicant requests the courtesy of a Telephone Interview between the Examiner and undersigned counsel upon the Examiner reaching this Response and before final action thereon in order to discuss any open issues in an effort to move this case to allowance as expeditiously as possible. In particular, the Interview can permit an exchange of views on the appropriateness, or not, of combining the references cited and permit discussion of such additional clarifying amendments as may be needed to place the case into condition for allowance. Applicant's counsel can be reached at 360 - 681 - 7305 to arrange a mutually convenient time for the interview.

End of Section 1, Introduction.